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$$\text{Si: } N_a = 2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$N_d = 4 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$T = 300 \text{ K}$$

$$A = 2 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^2$$

$$V_R = 2.5 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{a) } V_{bi} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{N_a N_d}{n_i^2} \right) = 0.0259 \text{ V} \cdot \ln \left(\frac{(2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3})(4 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2} \right)$$

$$= 0.808 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{b) } x_n = \left[\frac{2 \epsilon_s (V_{bi} + V_R)}{e} \left(\frac{N_a}{N_d} \right) \frac{1}{N_a + N_d} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$= \left[\frac{2 (11.7) (8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm}) (0.808 \text{ V} + 2.5 \text{ V})}{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})} \left(\frac{2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{4 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \right) \frac{1}{2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3} + 4 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$= 2.987 \times 10^{-5} \text{ cm} = 0.2987 \mu\text{m}$$

$$x_p = x_n \frac{N_d}{N_a} = (0.2987 \mu\text{m}) \frac{(4 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{(2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3})} = 0.05974 \mu\text{m}$$

$$W = x_n + x_p = 0.3584 \mu\text{m}$$

$$\text{c) } |E_{\max}| = \frac{2(V_{bi} + V_R)}{W} = \frac{2(0.808 \text{ V} + 2.5 \text{ V})}{0.3584 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}}$$

$$= 1.846 \times 10^5 \text{ V/cm}$$

$$\text{d) } C' = \left\{ \frac{e \epsilon_s N_a N_d}{2(V_{bi} + V_R)(N_a + N_d)} \right\}^{1/2}$$

$$= \left[\frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})(2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3})(4 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{2(0.808 \text{ V} + 2.5 \text{ V})(2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3} + 4 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3})} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$C' = 2.889 \times 10^{-8} \text{ F/cm}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow C = C' \cdot A = 5.778 \times 10^{-12} \text{ F} = 5.78 \text{ pF}$$

7.19 Si n^+p , $V_R = 5V$

a) $V_{bi} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{N_a N_d}{n_i^2} \right)$

if $N_a \rightarrow 3N_a$

$$V_{bi, \text{new}} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{3N_a N_d}{n_i^2} \right) = \frac{kT}{e} \ln(3) + V_{bi}$$

$$V_{bi, \text{new}} = 0.0285V + V_{bi}$$

$$\Delta V_{bi} = 0.0285V$$

b) For one sided n^+p

$$C' = \left[\frac{e \epsilon_s N_a}{2(V_{bi} + V_R)} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$C'_{\text{new}} = \left[\frac{e \epsilon_s 3N_a}{2(V_{bi} + V_R)} \right]^{1/2}$$

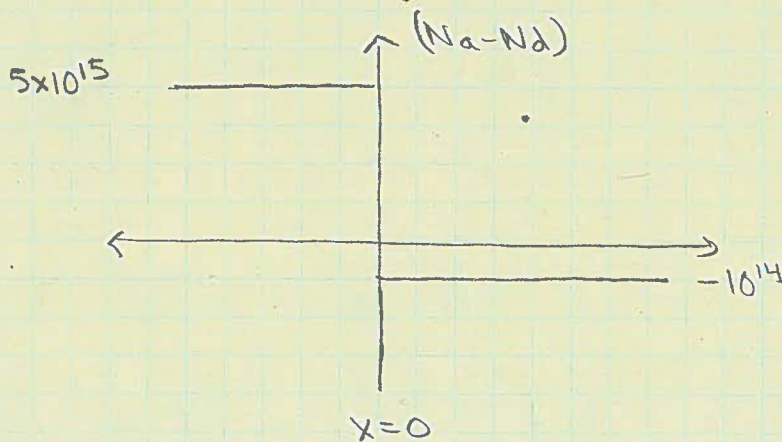
$$\text{so } \frac{C'_{\text{new}}}{C'} = \left[\frac{e \epsilon_s 3N_a}{2(V_{bi} + V_R)} \cdot \frac{2(V_{bi} + V_R)}{e \epsilon_s N_a} \right]^{1/2} = \sqrt{3} = 1.732$$

c) Junction capacitance increases as N_a increases because the space-charge narrows. Since the junction is kind of like a parallel plate capacitor, we can see that capacitance goes up as the space charge width goes down by

$$C = \frac{\epsilon A}{d}$$

← space charge width

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Si pn junction $T = 300\text{K}$ 

* note: this plot is $N_a - N_d$, so the p-side is on the left (as usual)

$$a) V_{bi} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{(5 \times 10^{15})(1 \times 10^{14})}{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2} \right) = \boxed{0.557\text{ V}}$$

$$b) x_n = \left[\frac{2 \epsilon_s V_{bi}}{e} \left(\frac{N_a}{N_d} \right) \frac{1}{N_a + N_d} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$x_n = \left[\frac{2(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})}{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})} \left(\frac{5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}}{1 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}} \right) \frac{1}{(5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3} + 1 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3})} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$= 3.56 \times 10^{-4} = \boxed{3.56 \mu\text{m}}$$

$$\text{so } x_p = x_n \frac{N_d}{N_a} = 3.56 \mu\text{m} \left(\frac{1 \times 10^{14}}{5 \times 10^{15}} \right) = \boxed{0.071 \mu\text{m}}$$

c) For $x_n = 30 \mu\text{m}$

$$V_R = \frac{x_n^2 \cdot e}{2 \epsilon_s} \cdot \frac{N_d}{N_a} (N_a + N_d) - V_{bi}$$

$$V_R = \frac{(30 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm})^2 (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C}) (1 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}) (5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3} + 1 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{2(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm}) (5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})} - 0.557\text{ V}$$

$$\boxed{V_R = 70.4\text{ V}}$$

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p^+n silicon $N_a = 2 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-3}$, $N_d = 2 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$
 $A = 10^{-5} \text{ cm}^2$

$$a) V_{bi} = 0.0259 \text{ V} \ln \left(\frac{2 \times 10^{17} \cdot 2 \times 10^{15}}{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2} \right) = \boxed{0.731 \text{ V}}$$

$$b) C' = \left[\frac{e \epsilon_s N_d}{2(V_{bi} + V_R)} \right]^{1/2} \rightarrow C = A \cdot C'$$

$$C = (1 \times 10^{-5} \text{ cm}^2) \left[\frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(11.7)(9.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})(2 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{2(V_{bi} + V_R)} \right]^{1/2}$$

$$C = \frac{1.29 \times 10^{-13}}{\sqrt{V_{bi} + V_R}}$$

$$(i) \begin{cases} V_R = 1 \text{ V}, & C = 9.80 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F} \\ V_R = 3 \text{ V}, & C = 6.663 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F} \\ V_R = 5 \text{ V}, & C = 5.376 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F} \end{cases}$$

$$c) C = \frac{1.29 \times 10^{-13}}{\sqrt{V_{bi} + V_R}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{C^2} = \frac{V_{bi} + V_R}{1.664 \times 10^{-26}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{1.664 \times 10^{-26}} V_R + \frac{V_{bi}}{1.664 \times 10^{-26}}$$

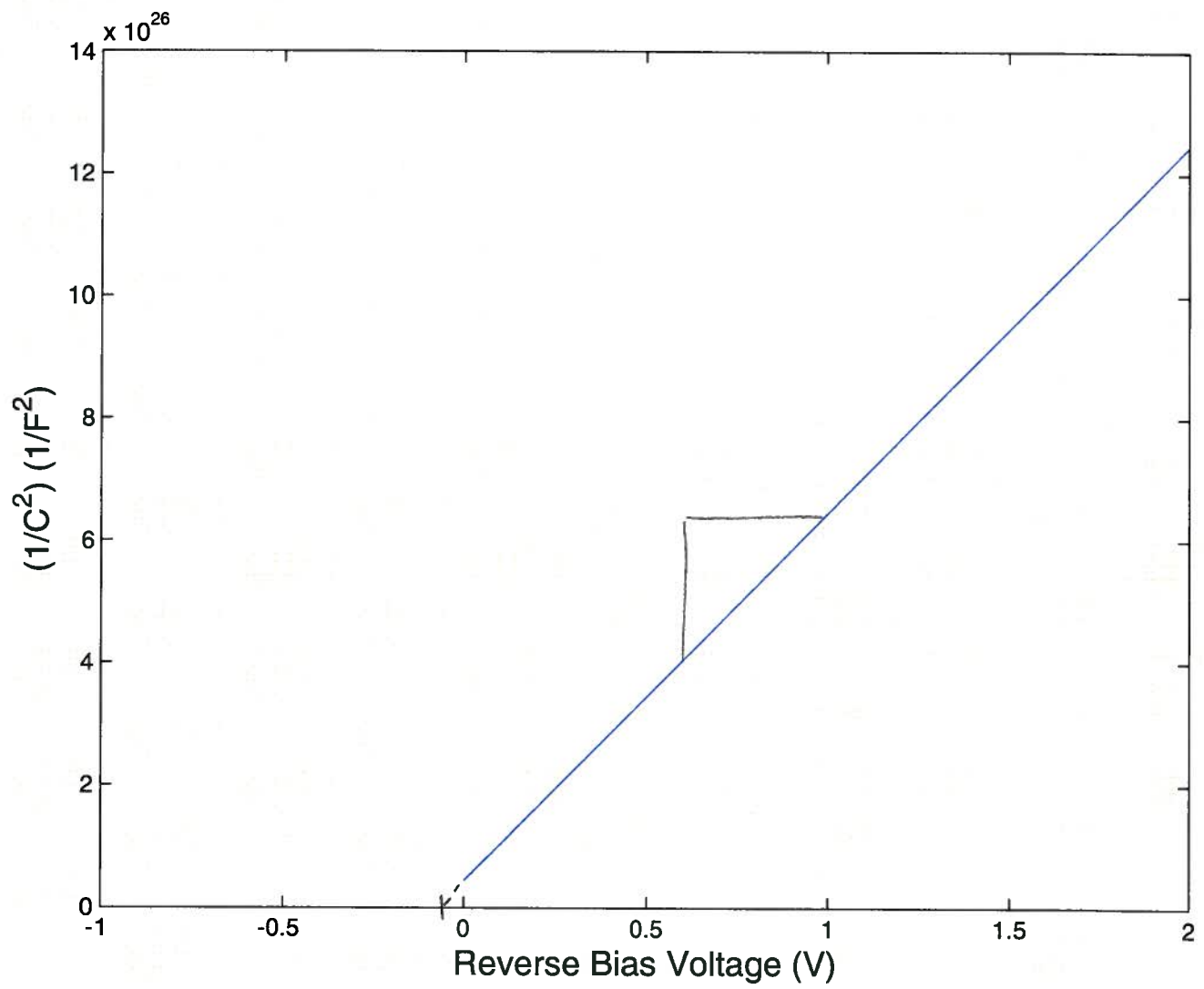
$$\text{so } \boxed{\frac{1}{C^2} = 6.01 \times 10^{26} V_R + 4.39 \times 10^{25}}$$

see matlab plot

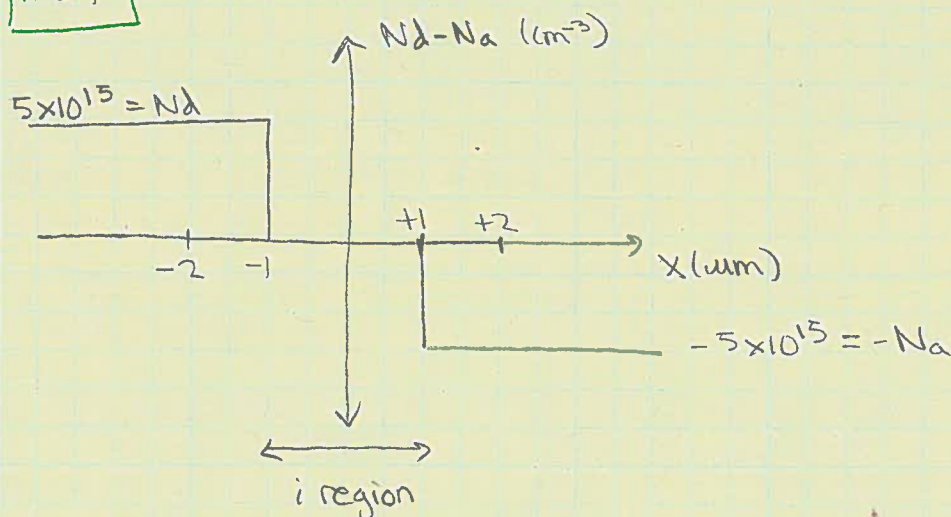
$$C = A \left[\frac{e \epsilon_s N_d}{2(V_{bi} + V_R)} \right]^{1/2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{C^2} = \frac{1}{A^2} \frac{2(V_{bi} + V_R)}{e \epsilon_s N_d}$$

$$\text{so } \frac{1}{C^2} = \underbrace{\frac{2}{A^2 e \epsilon_s N_d}}_{\text{slope} \rightarrow N_d} V_R + \underbrace{\frac{2V_{bi}}{A^2 e \epsilon_s N_d}}_{\text{intercept} \rightarrow V_{bi}}$$

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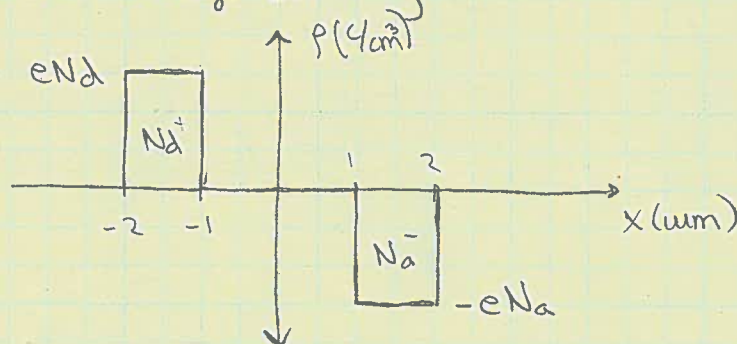
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- Reverse bias and total depletion width is from $-2\mu\text{m}$ to $2\mu\text{m}$

a) Calculate Electric Field Magnitude at $x=0$ using Poisson.

1. Draw charge Density



$$\rho(x) = \begin{cases} eN_d & -2 \leq x \leq -1 \\ 0 & -1 \leq x \leq 1 \\ -eN_a & 1 \leq x \leq 2 \end{cases}$$

$$\frac{dE}{dx} = \frac{\rho(x)}{\epsilon_s}$$

$$E(x) = \int \frac{\rho(x)}{\epsilon_s} dx$$

$$\text{call } \begin{matrix} -2 = -x_n \\ -1 = -x_i \\ 1 = x_i \\ 2 = x_p \end{matrix} \left. \begin{matrix} x_i, x_n, x_p \\ \text{are positive} \end{matrix} \right\}$$

in n-region: $E(x) = \int \frac{eN_d}{\epsilon_s} dx = \frac{eN_d}{\epsilon_s} x + C_1$

using $E(-x_n) = 0 \Rightarrow 0 = -\frac{eN_d x_n}{\epsilon_s} + C_1 \Rightarrow C_1 = \frac{eN_d x_n}{\epsilon_s}$

so $E_n(x) = \frac{eN_d}{\epsilon_s} (x + x_n)$ ← positive slope

in i-region: $\rho(x) = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{dE_i}{dx} = 0 \Rightarrow E_i(x) = C_2$

since E-Field must be continuous $E_n(-x_i) = E_i(-x_i)$

$$\text{so } E_n(-x_i) = \frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i) = C_2$$

$$\text{so } E_i(x) = \frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i) \leftarrow \text{constant}$$

$$\text{in p-region: } E_p(x) = - \int \frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} dx = -\frac{eNa x}{\epsilon_s} + C_3$$

$$E_p(x_p) = 0 \Rightarrow -\frac{eNa x_p}{\epsilon_s} + C_3 = 0$$

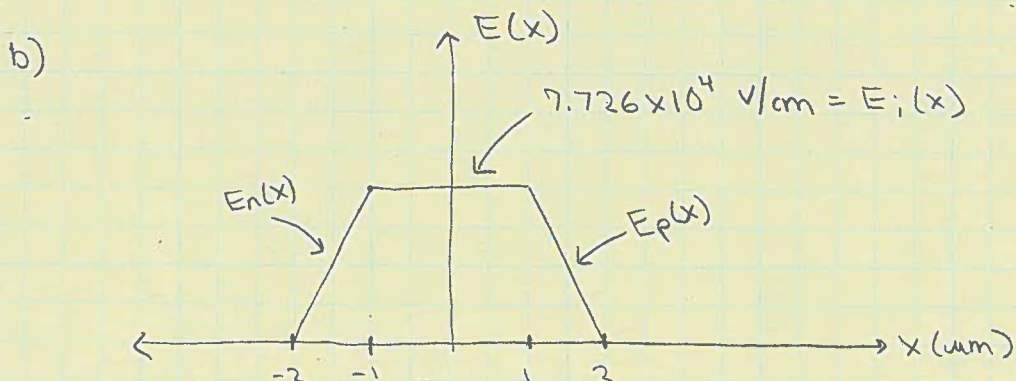
$$\Rightarrow C_3 = \frac{eNa x_p}{\epsilon_s}$$

$$\text{so } E_p(x) = \frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} (x_p - x) \leftarrow \text{negative slope}$$

$$\text{so } E(0) = E_i(x) = \frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i)$$

$$E(0) = \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})} (2 \mu\text{m} - 1 \mu\text{m}) \left(\frac{1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}}{1 \mu\text{m}} \right)$$

$$E(0) = 7.726 \times 10^4 \text{ V/cm}$$



c) The easiest way is to use the area under $E(x)$ curve to get $V_{TOTAL} = V_R + V_{bi}$ since

approach 1

$$\phi(x) = - \int E(x) dx \Rightarrow V_{TOTAL}$$

$$\text{then } V_R = V_{TOTAL} - V_{bi}$$

From part (b), the n and p sections give an area of

$$2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} \cdot 1 \mu\text{m} \cdot \left(\frac{1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}}{\mu\text{m}} \right) \cdot 7.726 \times 10^4 \text{ V/cm}$$

\uparrow base \uparrow height

$$= 7.726 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{The intrinsic section gives: } 2 \mu\text{m} \left(\frac{1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}}{\mu\text{m}} \right) \cdot 7.726 \times 10^4 \text{ V/cm}$$
$$= 15.452 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{so } \boxed{V_{TOTAL} = 23.178 \text{ V}}$$

$$\text{and } V_{bi} = \frac{kT}{e} \ln \left(\frac{N_A N_D}{n_i^2} \right) = 0.0259 \text{ V} \ln \left(\frac{(5 \times 10^{15})^2}{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2} \right) = 0.6587 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{so } V_R = V_{TOTAL} - V_{bi} = 23.178 \text{ V} - 0.6587 \text{ V}$$

$$\boxed{V_R = 22.519 \text{ V}}$$

* You can also get this by explicitly integrating the expressions for $E(x)$ you found in part (b) see approach 2

* Note: If you try to use equation (7.34) you will not get the right answer since this only applies for a basic pn-junction

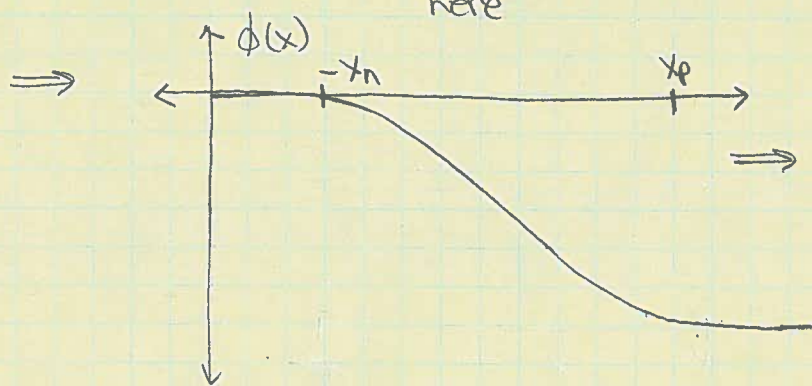
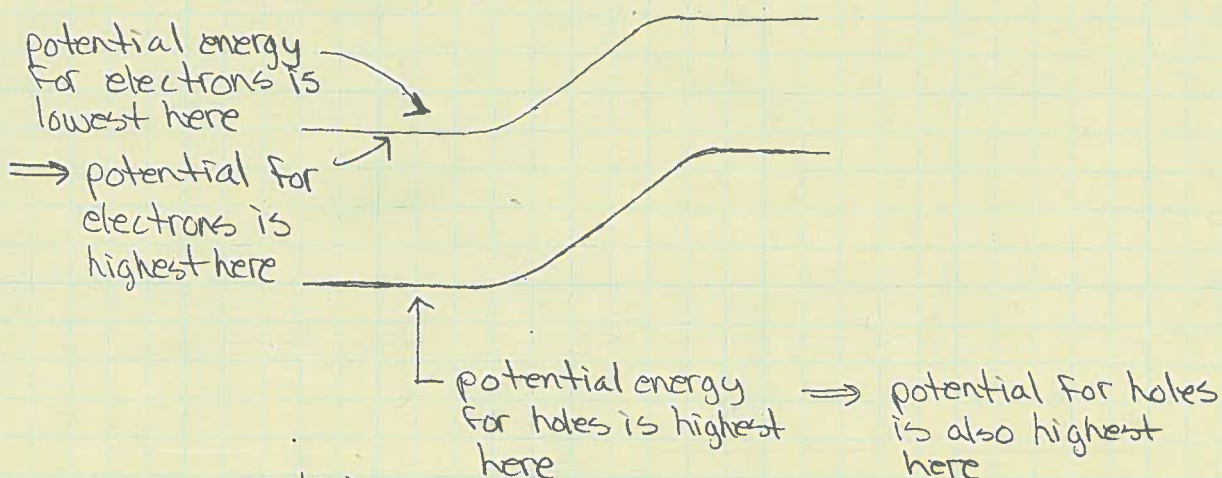
- approach 2

n-region: $\phi_n(x) = - \int \frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} (x+x_n) dx = -\frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} \left(\frac{x^2}{2} + x_n x \right) + C_1'$

now decide on boundary condition: is $\phi(x)$ maximum or minimum at $x = -x_n$?

↳ because $E(x)$ is positive and $\phi(x) = - \int E(x) dx$
 $\Rightarrow \phi(x)$ gets smaller as we go from $-x_n$ to x_p

↳ another way to see it is to look at the energy band diagram



$\Rightarrow \phi(-x_n) = 0$

$\phi(x_p) = -V_{TOTAL}$

* let the potential at $x_n=0$, so the potential at x_p is negative ($-V_{TOTAL}$)

so to get C_1' : $\phi_n(-x_n) = 0$

$\Rightarrow -\frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} \left(\frac{x_n^2}{2} - x_n^2 \right) + C_1' = 0$

$-\frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} \frac{x_n^2}{2} = C_1'$ so $\phi_n(x) = -\frac{eNd}{2\epsilon_s} (x^2 + 2x_n x + x_n^2)$

$\phi_n(x) = -\frac{eNd}{2\epsilon_s} (x+x_n)^2$

i-region: $E_i(x) = \frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i)$

$$\phi_i(x) = - \int \frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i) dx = -\frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i)x + C_2'$$

now $\phi_i(-x_i) = \phi_n(-x_i)$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i)x_i + C_2' = -\frac{eNd}{2\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i)^2$$

$$\text{so } C_2' = -\frac{eNd}{2\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i)^2 - \frac{eNd}{2\epsilon_s} 2(x_n - x_i)x_i$$

$$= -\frac{eNd}{2\epsilon_s} \left[(x_n - x_i)^2 + 2(x_n - x_i)x_i \right]$$

$$C_2' = -\frac{eNd}{2\epsilon_s} \left[(x_n - x_i)(x_n + x_i) \right]$$

$$\text{so } \phi_i(x) = -\frac{eNd}{\epsilon_s} \left[(x_n - x_i)x + \frac{(x_n - x_i)(x_n + x_i)}{2} \right]$$

$$\boxed{\phi_i(x) = -\frac{eNd(x_n - x_i)}{2\epsilon_s} \left[2x + (x_n + x_i) \right]}$$

p-region: $\phi_p(x) = - \int \frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} (x_p - x) dx = -\frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} \left(x_p \cdot x - \frac{x^2}{2} \right) + C_3'$

boundary condition $\phi_i(x_i) = \phi_p(x_i)$

$$\Rightarrow -\frac{eNd(x_n - x_i)}{2\epsilon_s} [3x_i + x_n] = -\frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} \left(x_p x_i - \frac{x_i^2}{2} \right) + C_3'$$

$$\text{so } C_3' = -\frac{eNd(x_n - x_i)}{2\epsilon_s} [3x_i + x_n] + \frac{eNa}{\epsilon_s} \left(x_p x_i - \frac{x_i^2}{2} \right)$$

$$\text{so } \phi_p(x) = -\frac{eN_a}{\epsilon_s} \left(x_p \cdot x - \frac{x^2}{2} \right) + \frac{eN_a}{\epsilon_s} \left(x_p x_i - \frac{x_i^2}{2} \right) - \frac{eN_d}{2\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i) [3x_i + x_n]$$

$$\phi_p(x) = -\frac{eN_a}{2\epsilon_s} \left[2x_p x - x^2 - 2x_p x_i + x_i^2 \right] - \frac{eN_d}{2\epsilon_s} (x_n - x_i) [3x_i + x_n]$$

now $\phi_p(x_p) = -V_{\text{TOTAL}}$, and since $N_a = N_d$

$$\text{so } -V_{\text{TOTAL}} = \frac{-(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(5 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{2(11.7)(8.85 \times 10^{-14} \text{ F/cm})} \left[(2 \mu\text{m})^2 - 2(2 \mu\text{m})(1 \mu\text{m}) + (1 \mu\text{m})^2 \right. \\ \left. + (2 \mu\text{m} - 1 \mu\text{m})(3 \mu\text{m} + 2 \mu\text{m}) \right] \left(\frac{1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}}{\mu\text{m}} \right)^2$$

$$-V_{\text{TOTAL}} = -23.178 \text{ V}$$

$$\text{so } V_{\text{TOTAL}} = 23.178 \text{ V}$$

$$\Rightarrow V_R = 23.178 \text{ V} - 0.6578 \text{ V} = 22.52 \text{ V}$$

V_{bi} from above

$$\boxed{8.2} \quad N_d = 2 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3} \quad N_a = 8 \times 10^{15} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$n_p(-x_p) = n_{p0} \exp\left(\frac{eV_a}{kT}\right) \quad p_n(x_n) = p_{n0} \exp\left(\frac{eV_a}{kT}\right)$$

$$\text{on p-side} \quad p_{p0} \approx N_a \Rightarrow n_i^2 = N_a \cdot n_{p0}$$

$$\Rightarrow n_{p0} = \frac{n_i^2}{N_a}$$

$$\text{on n-side} \quad p_{n0} = \frac{n_i^2}{N_d}$$

$$\text{so} \quad n_p = \frac{n_i^2}{N_a} \exp\left(\frac{eV_a}{kT}\right) \quad p_n = \frac{n_i^2}{N_d} \exp\left(\frac{eV_a}{kT}\right)$$

$$n_p = \frac{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2}{(8 \times 10^{15})} \exp\left(\frac{V_a}{0.0259}\right) = 28125 \exp\left(\frac{V_a}{0.0259}\right)$$

$$p_n = \frac{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2}{2 \times 10^{15}} \exp\left(\frac{V_a}{0.0259}\right) = 112500 \exp\left(\frac{V_a}{0.0259}\right)$$

$$\text{a) } V_a = 0.45 \text{ V} \rightarrow \boxed{\begin{aligned} n_p &= 9.88 \times 10^{11} \text{ cm}^{-3} \\ p_n &= 3.95 \times 10^{12} \text{ cm}^{-3} \end{aligned}}$$

$$\text{b) } V_a = 0.55 \text{ V} \rightarrow \boxed{\begin{aligned} n_p &= 1.88 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3} \\ p_n &= 4.69 \times 10^{13} \text{ cm}^{-3} \end{aligned}}$$

$$\text{c) } V_a = -0.55 \text{ V} \rightarrow \boxed{\begin{aligned} n_p &\approx 0 \\ p_n &\approx 0 \end{aligned}}$$

8.5 GaAs pn junction

$$N_a = 5 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3} \quad N_d = 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$A = 10^{-3} \text{ cm}^2 \quad V_a = 1.10 \text{ V}$$

a) minority electron diffusion current at $x = -x_p$

$$J_n(-x_p) = \frac{e D_n n_{p0}}{L_n} \left[\exp\left(\frac{e V_a}{kT}\right) - 1 \right]$$

$$n_{p0} = \frac{n_i^2}{N_a} = \frac{(1.8 \times 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3})^2}{5 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}} = 6.48 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$D_n = 220 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s} \quad (\text{From table 5.2})$$

$$L_n = \sqrt{D_n \tau_{n0}}$$

we are not given τ_{n0} , so assume it is 10^{-7} s From Ex 8.2

$$\text{so } J_n(-x_p) = \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(220 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(6.48 \times 10^{-5} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{\sqrt{(220 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(1 \times 10^{-7} \text{ s})}} \left[\exp\left(\frac{1.1}{0.0259}\right) - 1 \right]$$

$$= 1.355 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$I_n = A \cdot J_n(-x_p) = \boxed{1.35 \text{ mA}}$$

$$\text{b) } J_p(x_n) = \frac{e D_p p_{n0}}{L_p} \left[\exp\left(\frac{e V_a}{kT}\right) - 1 \right]$$

$$p_{n0} = \frac{n_i^2}{N_d} = \frac{(1.8 \times 10^6 \text{ cm}^{-3})^2}{1 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}} = 3.24 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$D_p = 10.4 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s} \quad \text{From table 5.2}, \quad L_p = \sqrt{D_p \tau_{p0}}$$

assume $\tau_{p0} = 5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s}$ From Ex 8.2

$$J_p(x_n) = \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(10.4 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(3.24 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}^{-3})}{\sqrt{(10.4 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s})}} \left[\exp\left(\frac{1.1}{0.0259}\right) - 1 \right]$$
$$= 2.083 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$\Rightarrow I_p = A \cdot F_p(x_n) = \boxed{2.083 \text{ mA}}$$

$$c) I_{\text{TOT}} = I_n + I_p = 1.35 \text{ mA} + 2.08 \text{ mA} = \boxed{3.43 \text{ mA}}$$

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$$\begin{aligned}
 J_s &= en_i^2 \left[\frac{1}{N_a} \sqrt{\frac{D_n}{\tau_{no}}} + \frac{1}{N_d} \sqrt{\frac{D_p}{\tau_{po}}} \right] \\
 &= (1.6 \times 10^{-19}) (2.4 \times 10^{13})^2 \\
 &\times \left[\frac{1}{4 \times 10^{15}} \sqrt{\frac{90}{2 \times 10^{-6}}} + \frac{1}{2 \times 10^{17}} \sqrt{\frac{48}{2 \times 10^{-6}}} \right] \\
 J_s &= 1.568 \times 10^{-4} \text{ A/cm}^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{(a) } I &= A J_s \exp\left(\frac{V_a}{V_t}\right) \\
 &= (10^{-4}) (1.568 \times 10^{-4}) \exp\left(\frac{0.25}{0.0259}\right) \\
 &= 2.44 \times 10^{-4} \text{ A} \\
 \text{or } I &= 0.244 \text{ mA} \\
 \text{(b) } I &= -I_s = -A J_s = -(10^{-4}) (1.568 \times 10^{-4}) \\
 &= -1.568 \times 10^{-8} \text{ A}
 \end{aligned}$$

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(a) p-side;

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_{Fi} - E_F &= kT \ln\left(\frac{N_a}{n_i}\right) \\
 &= (0.0259) \ln\left(\frac{5 \times 10^{15}}{1.5 \times 10^{10}}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

or

$$E_{Fi} - E_F = 0.329 \text{ eV}$$

Also on the n-side;

$$\begin{aligned}
 E_F - E_{Fi} &= kT \ln\left(\frac{N_d}{n_i}\right) \\
 &= (0.0259) \ln\left(\frac{10^{17}}{1.5 \times 10^{10}}\right)
 \end{aligned}$$

or

$$E_F - E_{Fi} = 0.407 \text{ eV}$$

(b) We can find

$$D_n = (1250)(0.0259) = 32.4 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

$$D_p = (320)(0.0259) = 8.29 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

Now

$$\begin{aligned}
 J_s &= en_i^2 \left[\frac{1}{N_a} \sqrt{\frac{D_n}{\tau_{no}}} + \frac{1}{N_d} \sqrt{\frac{D_p}{\tau_{po}}} \right] \\
 &= (1.6 \times 10^{-19}) (1.5 \times 10^{10})^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\times \left[\frac{1}{5 \times 10^{15}} \sqrt{\frac{32.4}{10^{-6}}} + \frac{1}{10^{17}} \sqrt{\frac{8.29}{10^{-7}}} \right]$$

or

$$J_s = 4.426 \times 10^{-11} \text{ A/cm}^2$$

Then

$$I_s = AJ_s = (10^{-4}) (4.426 \times 10^{-11})$$

or

$$I_s = 4.426 \times 10^{-15} \text{ A}$$

We find

$$\begin{aligned} I &= I_s \exp\left(\frac{V_D}{V_t}\right) \\ &= (4.426 \times 10^{-15}) \exp\left(\frac{0.5}{0.0259}\right) \end{aligned}$$

or

$$I = 1.07 \times 10^{-6} \text{ A} = 1.07 \mu\text{A}$$

(c) The hole current is

$$\begin{aligned} I_p &= en_i^2 A \cdot \frac{1}{N_d} \sqrt{\frac{D_p}{\tau_{po}}} \exp\left(\frac{V_D}{V_t}\right) \\ &= (1.6 \times 10^{-19}) (1.5 \times 10^{10})^2 (10^{-4}) \left(\frac{1}{10^{17}}\right) \\ &\quad \times \sqrt{\frac{8.29}{10^{-7}}} \exp\left(\frac{V_D}{V_t}\right) \end{aligned}$$

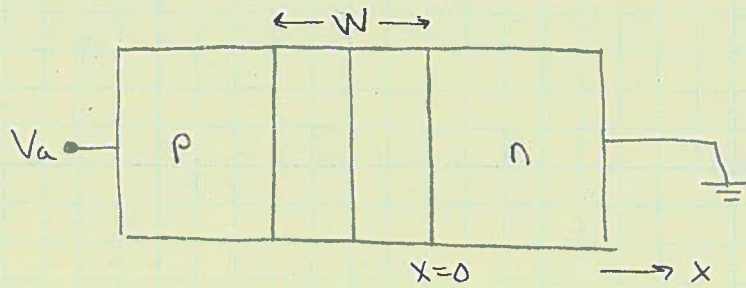
or

$$I_p = 3.278 \times 10^{-16} \exp\left(\frac{V_D}{V_t}\right) \text{ (A)}$$

Then

$$\frac{I_p}{I} = \frac{J_p}{J_s} = \frac{3.278 \times 10^{-16}}{4.426 \times 10^{-15}} = 0.0741$$

8.17



$$T = 300 \text{ K}$$

$$V_a = 0.61 \text{ V}$$

$$N_d = 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$N_a = 5 \times 10^{16} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$\tau_{n0} = 0.05 \mu\text{s}$$

$$\tau_{p0} = 0.01 \mu\text{s}$$

$$D_n = 23 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

$$D_p = 8 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s}$$

- a) Find excess hole conc. as a function of x on the n-side

$$\delta p_n = p_{n0} \left[\exp\left(\frac{eV_a}{kT}\right) - 1 \right] \exp\left(\frac{x_n - x}{L_p}\right)$$

but since we defined $x=0$ at the typical x_n point

$$\delta p_n = p_{n0} \left[\exp\left(\frac{eV_a}{kT}\right) - 1 \right] \exp\left(\frac{-x}{L_p}\right)$$

$$p_{n0} = \frac{n_i^2}{N_d} = \frac{(1.5 \times 10^{10})^2}{5 \times 10^{16}} = 22500 \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$L_p = \sqrt{D_p \tau_{p0}} = \sqrt{(8 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(0.01 \times 10^{-6} \text{ s})} = 2.828 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}$$

$$\text{so } \delta p_n(x) = (22500 \text{ cm}^{-3}) \left[\exp\left(\frac{0.61}{0.0259}\right) - 1 \right] \exp\left(\frac{-x}{2.828 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}}\right)$$

$$\delta p_n(x) = 3.808 \times 10^{14} \exp\left(\frac{-x}{2.828 \mu\text{m}}\right) \text{ [cm}^{-3}\text{]}$$

b) at $x = 3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}$

$$\delta p_n(3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}) = 3.808 \times 10^{14} \exp\left(\frac{-3}{2.828}\right) = 1.318 \times 10^{14} \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$\text{so } J_p(3 \mu\text{m}) = -e D_p \left. \frac{d(\delta p_n(x))}{dx} \right|_{x=3 \mu\text{m}}$$

$$\frac{d \delta p_n(x)}{dx} = -3.808 \times 10^{14} \exp\left(\frac{-x}{2.828 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}}\right) \cdot \frac{1}{2.828 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}}$$

$$\left. \frac{d \delta p_n(x)}{dx} \right|_{x=3 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}} = -4.66 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-4}$$

$$\text{so } J_p(3 \mu\text{m}) = (1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(8 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(4.66 \times 10^{17} \text{ cm}^{-4})$$

$$\boxed{J_p(3 \mu\text{m}) = 0.5965 \text{ A/cm}^2}$$

c) Find $J_n(3 \mu\text{m})$??

$$J_{n0} = \frac{e D_n n_{p0}}{L_n} \left[\exp\left(\frac{e V_a}{kT}\right) - 1 \right]$$

$$n_{p0} = \frac{n_i^2}{N_a} = 4.5 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^{-3}$$

$$L_n = \sqrt{D_n \tau_{n0}} = 10.72 \mu\text{m}$$

$$\text{so } J_{n0} = \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(23 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(4.5 \times 10^3 \text{ cm}^{-3})}{10.72 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}} \left[\exp\left(\frac{0.61}{0.0259}\right) - 1 \right]$$

$$= 0.2615 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$\text{also } J_{p0} = \frac{(1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ C})(8 \text{ cm}^2/\text{s})(22500 \text{ cm}^{-3})}{2.828 \times 10^{-4} \text{ cm}} \left[\exp\left(\frac{0.61}{0.0259}\right) - 1 \right]$$

$$= 1.724 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$\text{so } J_{\text{TOT}} = J_{\text{ho}} + J_{\text{p}_0} = 0.2615 \text{ A/cm}^2 + 1.724 \text{ A/cm}^2$$

$$\boxed{J_{\text{TOT}} = 1.985 \text{ A/cm}^2}$$

* J_{TOT} is the same everywhere

$$\text{so } J_{\text{n}}(3\mu\text{m}) + J_{\text{p}}(3\mu\text{m}) = J_{\text{TOT}}$$

$$\Rightarrow J_{\text{n}}(3\mu\text{m}) = J_{\text{TOT}} - J_{\text{p}}(3\mu\text{m})$$

$$= 1.985 - 0.5965 = \boxed{1.389 \text{ A/cm}^2}$$